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OWOSSO, FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

The trout season begins tomorrow.

Onion Creek drain letting May 20.

The Estey saw mill is again running.

Knapp & Smith have a neat new sign.

Circuit court, May 10th.

of tile this week.

on on Wednesday.

Sargent, a daughter.

St, is being painted.

in Maple Ridge Park.

ed a patent on a car fender.

The mason work has been commenced on

Two candidates were given their first de-

The apple blossom has been designated

Miss Edna Havens has declined her posi-

The Current Topic Club will meet with

Mrs. C. W Gale on Monday afternoon next.

What has become of the alumni associa-

non of the Owosso high school? Who can

The woodwork on the Grow block has

been freshened with a coat of paint this

Attend the phonograph entertainment [at

The high school foot ball team is getting

in shape for a game, May 22d, with the

Beginning Sunday evening next the servi-

ces at the Baptist church will begin 15 min-

The liquor business of Thos. Nelan has

passed into the hands of H. Watson, of

Mrs. M. H. Reynolds attended the Jack-

son county Sunday school convention at

Jackson, Tuesday, speaking on "Primary

F. F. Bumps has received, with the com-

pliments of President Mumby, an annual

pass to all league games of ball held in the

It is expected that fifteen persons will be

the Loyal Guard at their meeting on Mon-

The residence of Mrs. E. Salisbury has

been connected with the Oliver street sewer.

Other property owners on the street should

The regular meeting of the Woman's So-

The kindergarten class of Miss Hender-

The Ismond stock of clothing, dry goods,

etc., 204 N. Washington St., has been pur-

chased by S. B. Lockwood, of Howell, who

cial Union, of the Congregational church,

Tuesday afternoon, May 4th.

ider ones going in the afternoon.

will open for business in a few days.

state this year.

day evening next.

the Congregational church on Tuesday even-

gree in the K. P. lodge last evening.

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ing Goods,

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Butter, per ID	12
Eggs, per doz	7
Potatoes	10
Oats, per bushel	17
Wheat, per bushel	81 to 63
Buckwheat, per bushel	20
Rye, per bushel	25 to 28
Boans, per bushel	
Onlons	1.00
Clover seed, per bushel	4.00 to 5.00
Timothy	2.00 to 2.50
Corn, shelled, per bushel	95
Corn, in ear, per bushel	13
Ground feed, per cwt	20
	10.00
Hay, per ton,	12.00
Bran, per ton.	200
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Hogs, live, ewt	\$3,40 to 3 60
" dressed "	4.95 to 4.40
Beef, live, "	3.00 to 3.75
" dressed"	5.00 to 6.50
Mutton " "	5.00 to 7.00
Chickens, live.	5 to 6
Turkeys, live	7% to 8

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# "The Farmer's Friend."

When Hunt came to Owosso there was only one price for butter. A woman who took to Detroit, Wednesday. extra pains and made nice J. W. Angell, of this city, has been grantbutter was obliged to sell it for the same price as some I. H. Keeler's new residence. other woman received who made poor butter. Now things have changed and the woman who makes extra fancy butter will get an extra price for it at his store.

Now another thing - His customers can come to town and take their butter and eggs into his store with the assurance that he will always take ing next. it and pay the very highest market price. They don't have Howell team. to run all around town to other stores to see what it is utes later than heretofore. worth. Nine out of ten of the good butter makers of the Flint, on a chattle mortgage. county sell their butter to him.

Bulk Garden Seeds. Timothy Seeds. Clover Seed.

Syrup Sale. Ginger Snap Sale. Bulk F. Mustard Sale. Raisin Sale.

## Sunday last with Rev. R. E. McDuff, of Flint. Those who heard Mr. McDuff, were very highly pleased with his sermons.

Class No. 12, of the Baptist church, will serve warm fritters and maple syrup this Friday evening from 6 to 9 o'clock. A complete set of Cooper's works given away.

Odell Chapman will sow five acres of his Rush farm to alfalfa this year and use it for hog pasture. The result of his experiment will be watched with interest by farmers.

Co. G, at its meeting Tuesday evening gave Corporal A. Brott and privates John Benham and Frank Beardslee, dishonorable discharges

Herman Ahrnds and George Beach, of this city, have been bound over for trial at the May term of the U. S. circuit court, at Bay City, charged with counterfeiting.

Benefit concerts for the Volunteers of America will be given in the Congregational and Baptist churches, May 12th and 19th. Tickets single concert, 15 cents; for the two, 25 cents.

L. S. Bowles, of Owosso township, has just finished putting out an acre of strawberry plants. He will pick berries this year from eight acres of plants, which he reports in fine shape.

The semi-annual meeting of the Middlebury and Owosso Sunday school association will be held in the Middlebury and Sciota stock in the city. Our Hats are church next Sunday, May 2. An interest-ing program has been arranged. all of the latest and right up to

The weather has been such this week that farmers could plow and get their ground in shape for spring crops. It is said the acreage sown to oats will be smaller than usual on account of the backward spring.

If you want a jolly good time as well as a good, substantial supper, served in the latest approved manner by waiters of the male persuasion, attend the anniversary banquet at the Baptist church next Tuesday evening.

The funeral of John G. Bock was held at the German Lutheran church, Monday afternoon, Rev. Paul Kionka officiating. Mr. Bock died Friday from consumption, aged 37 years. A wife and two children

Mayor Gould has suspended the operation of the ordinance passed by the council Monday evening fixing salaries, on the ground that the compensation for the marshal and nightwatchmen is not sufficient for the ser-

There will be supper served at Spiritualist hall, Saturday eyening, May 1st, from until 8 o'clock. Mr. Daniels, of Flint, has kindly offered to give some tests. Sunday evening Mrs. Amsden and Mr. Daniels will old a test meeting in the hall.

Sarah M. Greenman has asked for a diyorce from Hiram E. Greenman, on the This is Arbor Day. Have you set out a ground that the defendant is an habitual day. drunkard and has deserted her, leaving her Frieseke Bros, have been burning a kiln in a penniless condition. They were married in February, 1892, in Bancroft. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Odell Chapman, a

The first 5 o'clock service at the Congregational church, Sunday afternoon last, was a Born, on Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray great success. The attendance was large, the music especially fine, and Rev. J. C. The residence of D. C. Clapp, W. King Cromer's address one of the best. The service is evidently bound to be popular.

Several new residences are being put up The State teachers' Institute for Shiawassee county will be held at Corunna, August E. W. Bilhimer shipped a carload of stock 9-14, with Supt. W. J. McKone, of Mason, sistant. The institute is certain to be a suc- visited early in May. cess under the care of these able gentlemen.

## Uncle Sam's Business in Owosso

Charles Lawrence, agent of the United States government in the postoffice business in Owosso, has made for us a summary of the business done by him and under his direction at the Owosso office during the past year, and it furnishes food for considerable study when one thinks that every stamp, tion in the city schools for the coming year. postal card or envelope sold must in the end be handled singly a number of times here and on its way to its destination, and must be handled with that almost positive accuracy for which the department is noted, more accurate in fact than the work of our great financial institutions

The number of one cent stamps sold was 66,092; the number of two cent stamps 435,-708; three cent 1,288; four cent 1,749; five cent 1,911; six cent 1,927; eight cent 716; ten cent 1,188; special delivery 643; newspaper stamps 3,229; postage-due stamps 2,976; one cent postal cards 94,139; two cent postal cards 248; stamped envelopes 372,580; total number of pieces of all kinds 1,043,880; number of registered letters passed through the office 4,478; special deliveres made 485; domestic money orders sold 7,197, amounting to \$31,996.27; money orders paid 5,213, amounting to \$33,870.13; total of money order business \$65,866.40. The gross receipts of the office outside of money orders were \$17,197.29. The cost of running the Owosso office is about \$10,000. leaving a profit to the government of about

The number of mails received is 23 on six days and two on Sunday. There are 21 mails sent out each day, excepting Sunday. Mailing clerk H. P. White is one of the busiest officials in the office and has handled as received into membership in the Knights of high as 15,000 pieces of outgoing mail in a day-with such accuracy that he has become known as one of the best mailing clerks in the state.

The office is in most excellent condition and the first year's work of Mr. Lawrence will take high rank in the history of the office. The office is conducted in a way to

please the people and it is appreciated. will be held in the church parlor next To facilitate the work of the office and to relieve Postmaster Lawrence, who frequently puts in 15 hours daily at the office, the son has grown so large that she has been postoffice department on Friday last, at the compelled to hold two sessions daily, the request of Senator McMillan, issued an order for the appointment of an additional clerk at a salary of \$300 per year. Bruce Bartlett, who was employed in the office for several years, has been given the position and will begin work tomorrow.

I. G. Curry was in Lansing, Wednesday. Prof. E. A. Barnes, of Chicago, is in the

Mrs. James D. Estes visited in Flint this

Lawrence Gould spent Sunday in St.

M. L. Izor, of the Argus, was in Lansing.

Roy Cheal was home from Alexis the first

C. W. Gale spent Tuesday at his farm

near St. Johns. The University students returned to their work, Tuesday.

E, M. Hopkins, of Saginaw, called on )wosso friends Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Holmes, daughter, on the 24th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Middaugh, of Duand, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kerwin spent Sunday in Mt. Pleasant with A. C. Veit. Frank Marshal, of Saginaw, an old

Iwosso boy, was in the city Tuesday. Mrs. P. H. Black was the guest of Mrs.

J. A. Pearsall, of Lansing, Tuesday. Warren Brown, of Howell, has recepted a osition with the Owosso Carriage Works. J. S. Hoyt has accepted a position in the dry goods store of his brother at Cleveland.

M. H. Reynolds is in the northern part of the state this week on Sunday school work. Albert West returned home Tuesday from his western trip to remain until Mon-

C. S. Williams was in Lansing on business Tuesday, and has since been in Bay

H. M. High, of the law firm of High & Everett, Ovid, did business in the city Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Graham, of Flint,

were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Johnson, over Sunday.

E. P. Byerly and G. W. Loring were in Lansing yesterday on business at the adjutant general's office

Mrs. D. M. Christian returned last evening from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Donsereaux at Lansing.

C. A. Connor left Monday morning on a ten days trip in eastern Michigan, for the San Telmo Cigar Mfg. Co., of Detroit.

E. O. Dewey attended the annual meeting of the Michigan Republican Newspaper Association held at Lansing yesterday.

L.E. Gould represented the Congregational church at the Genesee association meet ing, held in Durand, Tuesday and Wednes-

G. F. North returned from Detroit, Monday. He reports Mrs. North as improving rapidly in health, and that she will soon be able to return home.

Will H. Brunson, of St. Johns, spent a few hours in the city Monday. He has been quite prominently mentioned for U. S. attorney for the eastern district of Michi-

M. V. B. Wixom, of Bancroft, shook hands with Owosso friends Monday. Mat says he will soon go on the road with a as conductor and Prof. Bemis, of Ionia, as- better circus than ever. Owosso will be

Married, at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning at St. Paul's Catholic church, by Rev. Fr. Slane, Miss Maggle Nugent and Nicholas Miller. They have commenced housekeeping on Corunna Ave.

Mrs. J. H. Rohrbacher, of Laingsburg, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Edith Rohrbacher, with John Frederick Bender, of Hamilton, Ohio. The marriage will be solemized June 2.

Geo. B. McCaughna spent Sunday in Fenton. At the organization of an alumni association of the Fenton high school Saturday evening he was elected as orator for the first banquet to occur in June.

Prof. Harry L. Hutchins, formerly superntendent of the Owosso city schools, now dean of the law department, has been offered the presidency of the University during Pres. Angell's absence in Turkey. This is a distinguished honor for Prof. Hutchins.

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